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MEMORANDUM FOR: Acting Assistant Director, OSA

SUBJECT: [   ] 25X1A

REFERENCE: Memorandum for OSA/C/OD from
OSA/C/COMMO; same subject; dated
10 September 1962 (IDEA 0886)

1.   This memorandum contains a recommendation for the approval of the Acting Assistant Director, OSA. Such recommendation is contained in paragraph 5.

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2.   In view of the information offered in the reference above, [   ] considered suspect until a further evaluation reveals acceptable proof to the contrary or redesigned (or updated) equipment replaces the present unit.

3.   It is apparent that the present area of doubt concerning the safety and effectiveness of subject equipment is unacceptable in our type operation. Therefore, it is requested that immediate efforts be

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directed toward clearing up the questions concerning our present [   ] This will enable us to discontinue using it if the evaluation so dictates.

25X1A   4.   Upgrading [   ] appears to offer a greatly
25X1A   increased capability [   ] Continued operation with a
lesser capability cannot be recommended as a best course of action   25X1A
when values in terms of monetary cost and possible loss consequences
are considered. These subjects have been discussed with [   ]
who agrees that his office can take the action necessary to expedite

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both the immediate answers needed and the longer range updating
on [   ]

5. Recommend that:

    a. The Communications Division, OSA, be given the
action to obtain answers ASAP to the questions of capability

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[   ]

    b. The Communications Division, OSA, be authorized
to coordinate the necessary actions required in updating
and/or redesigning [   ] on an urgent   25X1A
priority.

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Chief, Operations Division, OSA

The recommendations contained
in paragraph 5, are approved:

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